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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-002449

Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 02-May-2008

City: Oakland, CA 94607

Project Name: SAS Superstructure OSM Arrival Time: 1700 **OSM Departure Time:** 2330 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name: See below **CWI Present:** Yes No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** Yes No Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:**

Bridge No: 34-0006 **Component:** Tower and OBG Fabrication

Summary of Items Observed:

Caltrans Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Mr. Paul Dawson, arrived on site at the Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) facility at Changxing Island, in Shanghai, China, for the purpose of monitoring welding and fabrication of the San Francisco / Oakland Bay Bridge (SFOBB) components. The QA Inspector observed the following:

CWI Inspector: NA

Orthotropic Box Girder (OBG) and Tower Fabrication:

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The QA Inspector performed ultrasonic inspections of floor beam complete joint penetration groove welds: FB022-001-021, -78, -79, -80, -81, -122, -125, -126, 127; FB018-001-021, -78, -79, -80, -81, -122, -125, -126, -127 and FB018-002-021, -78, -79, -80, -81, -122. -125, -126, -127. All welds inspected appear to comply with project specifications. These welds had been previously accepted by ZPMC QC personnel. See the TL-6027 "Ultrasonic Test Report" dated today and the photograph below for additional information.

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Summary of Conversations:

No significant conversations.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Patrick Lowry (858) 344-2712, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Dawson,Paul	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Carreon, Albert	QA Reviewer